

Dec. 21, 1936

The Executive Committee of the N. J. Urban League met on the above date at 58 W. Market St. Present: Mrs. Bell, Mr. Brooks, Mr. Gillette, Dr. Levy, Mrs. Moorefield, Miss Shepard, Mr. Powell.

The meeting was opened with Mrs. Bell in the chair. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The Executive Secretary called attention to the Commission appointed by the Governor to study the problem of juvenile delinquency in New Jersey. A letter had been sent from the League to the Governor requesting that a Negro be permitted to work with this Commission. The response was not encouraging.

A communication from the Montclair Chest was negative. Dr. Levy suggested that the matter not be dropped now.

Treasurer's report showed a bank balance as of-

Dec. 1 -	\$228.15
Obligations	403.73

Up to the present time only three clubs have responded to the request for packages for Christmas at the Essex Mountain Sanatorium.

At a Federation assembly it was announced that the receipts were only \$10,000 more than last year.

Since building maintenance has gone up, discussion arose as the advisability of increasing the rentals of the Phyllis Wheatley Home. Motion by Miss Shepard seconded by Mr. Powell and carried, that such rentals be increased by 25¢ weekly, effective January 1, 1937.

The Executive Secretary had been consulted by a young man writing a thesis on "Negro Guidance". The thesis contained many misleading and untrue facts and the secretary was able to refer the young man to many reliable sources for the information he desired.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Mrs. Alice Bell, Vice President

U. M. Janifer, Secretary